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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

Bernard NIVELET

Serial No.: 09/701,611

Filed: December 1, 2000

For: METHOD FOR PRECONDITIONING  
AND ENCODING A DATA TABLE  
AND METHOD FOR THE  
IMPLEMENTATION OF TABLE  
REQUESTS ON A VECTORIAL  
PROCESSOR

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Examiner: Samuel G. RIMELL

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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Commissioner of Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office action of January 5, 2004, and further to a March 3 Personal Interview, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.